

This week the FCC is voting on a reform of the Universal Service Fund program. I agree with the agency that the program's goals are noble - but outdated - and that the agency must find a way to funnel its resources toward building broadband networks rather than phone line

Any new rules that you adopt must require phone companies to justify additional fees before they start taking even more hard-earned money out of our pockets. The Commission must require strong regulatory oversight in exchange for carriers' receiving this ratepayer-funded subsidy.

Stop ATT& T and Verizon for taking more of our money and limiting our freedom to use the internet freely to communicate. This is a democracy not a plutocracy, The wealthy are wealthy enough...the poor and middle class are poor enough and getting poorer daily. Stop draining our citizens of hard earned income.

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